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USS RATHBURNE (FF 1057) COMMAND HISTORY FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1992

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(1) USS RATHBURNE Command Composition and Organization

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(3) USS RATHBURNE Narrative of Events CY 92

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COMMAND HISTORY

CALENDAR YEAR 1992

USS RATHBURNE (FF 1057)

COMMAND COMPOSITION AND ORGANIZATION

Lieutenant Commander Cedric A. Bradfield, United States Navy, was the Commanding Officer of USS RATHBURNE from the beginning of CY 1992 until the ship's decommissioning on 14 FEBRUARY. During this time, RATHBURNE was assigned to Destroyer Squadron TWO-FIVE and was homeported at Pearl Harbor. The overall mission and function of the ship remained unchanged until its decommissioning and ultimate designation as a mobilization asset.

CHRONOLOGY

DATES

01 JAN - 13 FEB

14 FEB

EVENTS

INPORT, PEARL HARBOR, HI. (DECOMMISSIONING PREPARATIONS)
DECOMMISSIONING CEREMONY

NARRATIVE

The first day of 1992 found USS RATHBURNE at berth Bravo-16, Pearl Harbor Naval Station making final preparations to decommission on 14 February. The inactivation process involved the extensive preservation of both interior and exterior spaces, the securing and lay-up of all engineering and weapons systems, and the removal and proper disposition of major system components. Among the major items to be removed from the ship were the Close-In-Weapons System (CIWS) and the Tactical Towed Array Sonar (TACTASS).

On 14 February 1992 USS RATHBURNE was decommissioned and placed in inactivation as a mobilization asset.